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In re Application of Niklasson :
Application No. 09/147,801 : Decision on Petition
Filing Date: March 11, 1999 :
Attorney Docket No. MICRO-1 CPA :

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed November 18, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **granted**.

This application became abandoned for failure to file a proper reply within three months to the final Office action mailed February 11, 2005. An extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) was not obtained. Accordingly, this application became abandoned as of midnight on May 11, 2005. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on October 12, 2005.

The instant petition requests revival of the application.

Petitioner has met the requirements to revive the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b). Therefore, the petition is granted and the application is revived.

Payment for an extension of time is unnecessary when filing a petition to revive. Therefore, the \$510 extension of time fee will be credited back to petitioner's deposit account. Petitioner's deposit account has been charged \$750 for the petition and \$395 for the RCE.

Technology Center Art Unit 1648 will be informed of the instant decision so that the RCE and other papers can be considered in due course.

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